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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF
TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)

We hereby request an extension of time for response of four months pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) in which to file a response to the Notice to File Missing Parts mailed June 29, 1999. This extension resets the time for response from August 29, 1999, to December 29, 1999.

We authorize the charging of One Thousand Three Hundred Sixty Dollars (\$1,360) and any additional fees and crediting of overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 07-1060, and for this purpose, we enclose a duplicate copy of this petition.

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